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MEMORANDUM

TO: Intermediate and Local School District Superintendents

Public School Academy Directors

FROM: Venessa A. Keesler, Ph.D.

Deputy Superintendent, Education Services

SUBJECT: 2014-2015 Technology Readiness Infrastructure Grant Deadline

Extension

To better serve Michigan's school districts, the Michigan Department of Education (MDE) has extended the deadline for the 2015 Technology Readiness Infrastructure Grant (TRIG) Michigan Electronic Grants System *Plus* (MEGS+) District Invitation and Consortia Membership Invitation from November 21, 2014, to December 22, 2014. An extension of the deadline will allow both the MDE and the TRIG Operations Office the ability to provide additional technical assistance to districts to meet the eligibility requirements. The extension will delay the final TRIG grant award notifications. The MDE anticipates the final grant award notifications will be released at the end of January 2015.

For an updated district status report, visit www.22itrig.org. For questions regarding the TRIG MEGS+ applications, please contact Amanda Stoel at stoela@michigan.gov or (517) 241-3629. Questions regarding MTRAx can be directed to mtraxsupport@22itrig.org.

cc: Michigan Education Alliance

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